

Claim 14, page 114, 6th line below the formula (I), delete  
"C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>5</sub>";

7th line below the formula (I), delete "alkyl and".

Claim 15, page 115, 6th line below the formula (I), delete  
"C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>5</sub>";

7th line below the formula (I), delete "alkyl and".

Claim 16, page 117, 6th line below the formula (I), delete  
"C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>5</sub>";

7th line below the formula (I), delete "alkyl and".

Claim 17, page 119, line 4, delete "C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>5</sub>";  
line 5, delete "alkyl and".

Claim 18, page 121, line 6, delete "C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>5</sub>";  
line 7, delete "alkyl and".

Cancel Claim 5 and add the following claims.

19. The pharmaceutical composition of Claim 18 wherein  
R<sup>3</sup> is isopropoxy.

20. The pharmaceutical composition of Claim 19 wherein  
R<sup>2</sup> is methyl.

21. The pharmaceutical composition of claim 18 wherein said compound is pivaloyloxymethyl 7-[2-(2-aminothiazol-4-yl)-2-(syn)-methoxyiminoacetamido]-3-methoxymethyl-3-cephem-4-carboxylate and pharmaceutically acceptable acid addition salts thereof.

22. The pharmaceutical composition of claim 18 wherein said compound is pivaloyloxymethyl 7-[2-(2-aminothiazol-4-yl)-2-(syn)-ethoxyiminoacetamido]-3-methoxymethyl-3-cephem-4-carboxylate and pharmaceutically acceptable acid addition salts thereof.

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23. The pharmaceutical composition of claim 18 wherein said compound is 1-ethoxycarbonyloxyethyl 7-[2-(2-aminothiazol-4-yl)-2-(syn)-methoxyiminoacetamido]-3-methoxymethyl-3-cephem-4-carboxylate and pharmaceutically acceptable acid addition salts thereof.

24. The pharmaceutical composition of claim 18 wherein said compound is 1-ethoxycarbonyloxyethyl 7-[2-(2-aminothiazol-4-yl)-2-(syn)-ethoxyiminoacetamido]-3-methoxymethyl-3-cephem-4-carboxylate and pharmaceutically acceptable acid addition salts thereof.

25. The pharmaceutical composition of claim 18 wherein said compound is 1-isopropoxycarbonyloxyethyl 7-[2-(2-aminothiazol-4-yl)-2-methoxyiminoacetamido]-3-methoxymethyl-3-cephem-4-carboxylate and pharmaceutically acceptable acid addition salts thereof.

26. The compound of Claim 1 wherein R<sup>3</sup> is isopropoxy.

27. The compound of Claim 4 wherein R<sup>3</sup> is isopropoxy.

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~~28. The compound of claim 1 which is pivaloyloxymethyl 7-[2-(2-aminothiazol-4-yl)-2-(syn)-methoxyiminoacetamido]-3-methoxymethyl-3-cephem-4-carboxylate and pharmaceutically acceptable acid addition salts thereof.~~

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~~29. The compound of claim 1 which is pivaloyloxymethyl 7-[2-(2-aminothiazol-4-yl)-2-(syn)-ethoxyiminoacetamido]-3-methoxymethyl-3-cephem-4-carboxylate and pharmaceutically acceptable acid addition salts thereof~~

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~~30. The compound of claim 1 which is 1-ethoxycarbonyloxyethyl 7-[2-(2-aminothiazol-4-yl)-2-(syn)-methoxyiminoacetamido]-3-methoxymethyl-3-cephem-4-carboxylate and pharmaceutically acceptable acid addition salts thereof.~~

~~31. The compound of claim 1 which is 1-ethoxycarbonyloxyethyl 7-[2-(2-aminothiazol-4-yl)-2-(syn)-ethoxyiminoacetamido]-3-methoxymethyl-3-cephem-4-carboxylate and pharmaceutically acceptable acid addition salts thereof.~~

~~32. The compound of claim 1 which is 1-isopropoxycarbonyloxyethyl 7-[2-(2-aminothiazol-4-yl)-2-methoxyiminoacetamido]-3-methoxymethyl-3-cephem-4-carboxylate and pharmaceutically acceptable acid addition salts thereof.~~